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SUBJECT: U.S. MISSION TO INTER-AMERICAN MUNICIPAL CONGRESS

1. DEPT. HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE TRAVEL TO ADDRESSEE POSTS OF A HIGH LEVEL DELEGATION CONSISTING OF SEVERAL MAYORS AND COUNCILMEN FROM VARIOUS U.S. CITIES. THE GROUP WILL ATTEND THE XV BIENNIAL INTER-AMERICAN MUNICIPAL CONGRESS IN SANTIAGO NOVEMBER 23-26. ENROUTE TO THE CONFERENCE, GROUP WILL MEET WITH LOCAL MAYORS, CITY COUNCILMEN AND OTHER HIGH-RANKING MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS. THE DELEGATION NUMBERS 25 PERSONS, MORE THAN HALF FROM THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

2. THE DELEGATION HAS REQUESTED EMBASSY BRIEFING AT ALL STOPS WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BOGOTA AND RIO DE JANEIRO
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WHERE THEIR VISITS WILL BE BRIEF. OTHER EMBASSIES

REQUESTED TO EXTEND APPROPRIATE COURTESIES TO THIS
IMPORTANT DELEGATION.

3. THE KEY MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

HON. DORIS DAVIS, MAYOR, COMPTON, CALIFORNIA
HON. WILLIAM S. HART, SR., MAYOR, EAST ORANGE, NEW JERSEY
HON. VICTOR H. SCHIRO, FORMER MAYOR OF NEW ORLEANS, LA.
COUNCILMAN JOSEPH V. DI ROSA, PRESIDENT OF NEW ORLEANS
CITY COUNCIL
BERNARD B. LEVY, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF NEW ORLEANS
SUPERDOME.

JOINING THE GROUP IN SANTIAGO:

HON. FRANK FASI, MAYOR, HONOLULU, HAWAII
HON. MANUEL FERNANDEZ CORUJO, MAYOR, CAROLINA, PUERTO RICO
HON. MOON LANDRIEU, MAYOR OF NEW ORLEANS; AND PRESIDENT
OF THE U.S. CONFERENCE OF MAYORS.

4. ITINERARY AS FOLLOWS:

SAT. NOVEMBER 15 - LV. BOGOTA VIA AVIANCA 031 1550
ARRIVE BOGOTA 1910 - TEQUEN DAMA HOTEL.

SUN. NOVEMBER 16 - IN BOGOTA. SIGHTSEEING TOUR IN MORNING
ENDING AT COUNTRY HOME OF SR. MARIO BERMUDEZ WHO WILL
HOST THE U.S. AND COLOMBIAN DELEGATIONS TO THE CONGRESS
FOR COCKTAILS AND A TYPICAL COLOMBIAN "ASADO".

MON. NOVEMBER 17 - LV. BOGOTA VIA AVIANCA 057 1130,
ARRIVE QUITO 1250 - QUITO INTERCONTINENTAL.

TUE. NOVEMBER 18 - IN QUITO. PROGRAM BEING ARRANGED BY
MAYOR OF QUITO AND BY THE LEAGUE OF ECUADORIAN CITIES.
COLOMBIAN DELEGATION WILL ALSO PARTICIPATE.

WED. NOV. 19 - IN QUITO. SIGHTSEEING TOUR IN AFTERNOON.

THURS. NOVEMBER 20 - LEAVE QUITO VIA AVIANCA 081 1140
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ARRIVE LIMA 1340 - GRAN BOLIVAR HOTEL.

FRI. NOVEMBER 21 - IN LIMA. SIGHTSEEING TOUR IN
AFTERNOON.

SAT. NOVEMBER 22 - IN LIMA.

SUN. NOVEMBER 23 - LEAVE LIMA VIA LAN-CHILE 147 0800,

ARRIVE SANTIAGO 1200 - CARRERA SHERATON

INAUGURAL SESSION OF CONGRESS SUNDAY EVENING.

MON. NOVEMBER 24 - SIGHTSEEING TOUR IN MORNING
CONGRESS.

TUES. NOVEMBER 26 - CONGRESS

WED. NOVEMBER 26 - CONGRESS

THURS. NOVEMBER 27 - LV. SANTIAGO VIA VARIG 631 1420,
ARRIVE RIO 2110 - LEME PALACE HOTEL.

FRI. NOVEMBER 28 - IN RIO. SIGHTSEEING TOUR IN
AFTERNOON

SAT. NOVEMBER 29 - LEAVE RIO VIA VARIG-820 2230,
ARRIVE MIAMI NOVEMBER 30 0610.

5. CONTACT FOR THE GROUP IS MR. WINSTON LILL, DIRECTOR,
PUBLIC RELATIONS IN THE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR OF NEW
ORLEANS.

6. PLEASE CONFIRM CONTACTS THROUGH CONGRESSIONAL
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